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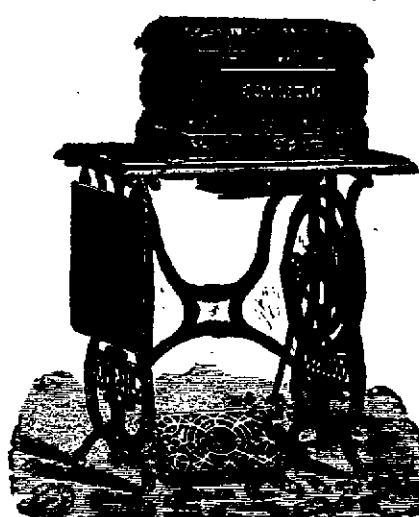
GEO. W. BRIGAT, Agt.
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and that her will was drawn in proper shape.

Secretary of the committee thinks the statue will be in position by May.

... who was paralyzed while denying the doctrine of eternal punishment, died Satur-

GEO. F. BLUME, 249, North Water St.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.



THE REVIEW

TUESDAY, DEC. 28, 1884.

The holiday season is nearly over. Dry stove wood at Geo. Ehrhart's, 181.

Goals marked down at the 99c store. d&wlv

Buy's all-wool flannel waists at B. Stine's. d&wlv

Measquerade ball at the tabernacle to-morrow night.

Choice bulk and canned oysters at Wood Bros'. d&wlv

Rev. D. P. Bonn preached in Springfield on Sunday.

Nice mixed candies 15c per pound at Wood Bros'. d&wlv

"Dan's Tribulations," at the opera house on Saturday evening.

Children's school shoes cheap at Barber & Baker's. d&wlv

Four marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk yesterday.

Home made broken candy 20c per pound at Wood Bros'. d&wlv

Oversees of all descriptions at Barber & Baker's. d&wlv

All-wool red flannel drawers, at B. Stine's, 75 cents a pair. d&wlv

Old ladies' warm lined shoes cheap at Barber & Baker's. d&wlv

For a dress or business suit go to Ed. Denz, Central Block. d&wlv

Ed. Denz has just received a lot of the finest suitings in the city. d&wlv

Rev. Dr. Vosburgh lectures this evening on "Paris, Past and Present."

A handsome line of candy boxes for the holidays at Wood Bros'. d&wlv

Great reduction in price of plush frames and boxes at the 99c store. d&wlv

Business will be paralyzed if the roads remain long in the present condition.

Hanley's "Dan's Tribulation" comedy will appear here on Saturday evening next.

A large assortment of men's Christ mas slippers, cheap at Barber & Baker's. d&wlv

The dry goods stores now close at six o'clock and the hardware stores at half past six.

Gifts smoking jackets, the latest novelties for Christmas presents, at B. Stine's. d&wlv

Novelties in gents' smoking jackets just received for Christmas presents, at B. Stine's. d&wlv

The largest and best assortment of Christmas candies in the city at Wood Bros'. d&wlv

Snow and ice have disappeared from the streets and walks, and have been succeeded by mud.

Rev. Dr. Vosburgh at the opera house on "Paris, Past and Present," on the 30th inst. d&wlv

Fresh dressed poultry at Peck & Co's, 235 opera block. Dressed on receipt of order. d&wlv

George W. Ehrhart's coal yard and office is north of Shellabarger's mill, on Water street. d&wlv

There will be a ball at the hall of Eureka Assembly, K. of L., on the evening of the 30th. d&wlv

The Gran Opera company left yesterday morning for Jacksonville, where they appeared last evening.

If you want to buy cheap groceries do not forget the place; it is at Newell Bros, 121 North Water St. d&wlv

Governor John P. St. John arrived yesterday noon and was entertained by Elder J. W. Tyler and family.

When in need of coal or wood call on F. D. Caldwell and see what he can do for you. Telephone 306. d&wlv

Royal Lodge, No. 109 Knights of Pythias, of Maroa, give a grand ball this evening in the new Masonic temple.

Every purchaser of boots or shoes at Barber & Baker's will be presented with a nice Christmas chromo. d&wlv

Crossings in the business part of town were kept in a passable condition yesterday by almost constant sweeping.

Considerable damage was done one of the rooms in the Fifth Ward school during the late wet spell by a leaky roof.

Don't forget the lecture on "Paris, Past and Present," by Rev. Dr. Vosburgh, at the opera house next Tuesday evening.

Go to Wm. Neidermeyer the Merchant street grocer, for raisins, currants and all kinds of dried and evaporated fruits.

"Paris, Past and Present" is Dr. Vosburgh's subject at the opera house on the 30th inst. Go and hear him. d&wlv

An abundance of poultry at Peck & Co's, No. 235 opera block. Order your Christmas turkey or oysters of them. d&wlv

Canned and bulk oysters and fresh celery at P. Ruebsamen & Co's at their new store next to Millikin's Bank. d&wlv

Jason Rogers visited Springfield yesterday afternoon to get the lay of the land before the opening of the state legislature.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, No. 1418 North Union street, is made glad by the arrival of a little daughter.

F. D. Caldwell can furnish you with coal or wood (all kinds) on short notice. Telephone 306. Always bottom prices. d&wlv

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following parties: Mahlon B. Hall, of Hallsville, Ill., and Miss Mary Harkrader, of Maroa; John P. Martin and Mary F. Hiel, of Niantic; Geo. H. Bashford,

of this city, and Miss Katie B. Banton, of Indianapolis; John G. Botrell and Miss Mattie B. Freeland, of Milan.

Wm. Neidermeyer, the Merchant street grocer, browns coffee fresh every day for his customers. Try it. It is the best. d&wlv

The Knights of Pythias of Maroa will have a grand ball on Tuesday evening in the hall of the New Masonic temple of that town.

Curtis & Co's auction sale of jewelry commenced yesterday afternoon, and was attended by hundreds of people, who secured numerous bargains.

Policeman John Welty, of the levee day force, held the lucky number in the drawing for a fine base burner at Campbell & McGinty's place the other evening.

Prizes of turkeys, chickens and cash will be shot for at the shooting gallery on Prairie street, opposite the postoffice, to-day and every day till New Years. d&wlv

Go to Wingate's lamp store and buy one of those steam washing machines, if you want to see the dirt toll out of your clothes without at sale of rubbing. a91

You can buy anything in a nice present you want very cheap, and a new stock to select from at R. N. Hughson's new book store, East Eldorado street. d&wlv

Miss Mollie Thompson, who has been visiting the family of Hickman Foster, left yesterday afternoon for Farmington, Mo., where she will teach in a female seminary.

The Deatur Musical college has secured the services of Miss Stella B. Hadden, a graduate of the New England conservatory of music, as teacher on the piano and organ.

R. N. Hughson is bound not to be undersold in toys, books, Christmas cards and fancy goods. Call and see bargains at his new book store, East Eldorado street. d&wlv

Carter's Little Liver Pills will positively cure sick headache and prevent its return. This is not talk, but truth. One pill a dose. To be had of all druggists. See advertisement.

Be sure and secure seats for the Vosburgh lecture to be given at the opera house, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 30th. Reserved seats, 50 cents. Gallery, 25 cents. At Curtis & Co's, d&wlv

Lafayette Hamilton, who was recently adjudged insane in the county court, will be taken to Jacksonville by Dr. George W. Rea Ringland and placed in the Central Illinois hospital for the insane.

The sudden and unexpected change in the weather, hard on the railroads, as it causes the rails to sink and spread. Engineers are under orders to run slowly and with great caution while the weather remains in its present state.

The best on earth, can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by druggists.

Married—At Cape Girardeau, Mo., December 23, 1884 by Rev. J. Hickman, Mr. Wm. E. Montgomery to Miss A. Lantia Surrill. Mr. Montgomery and bride have returned, and will reside in this city. They are at home to friends, at 502 E. William street.

Paris is without doubt the most delightful city in the world. Its a store house of art and her historic memories are many and thrilling. Dr. Vosburgh will tell you all about it in his lecture at the opera house on Tuesday evening. Tickets, 50 cents. Gallery, 25 cents. d&wlv

THIRTIETH AND TRUE is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which combines the good quality of all the best cough remedies, without the defects of any of them. It cures promptly and permanently coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, bronchitis, hoarseness, indigestion, consumption, and all throat and lung diseases, healing the lungs, safe and pleasant for children. Price, 50 cents and \$1. Trial bottles free.

The third and last lecture of the series on "Days Abroad" will be delivered at the opera house on Tuesday evening next—the 30th. The title of this lecture is "Paris, Past and Present," and the subject taken in connection with the well known ability of Rev. Dr. Geo. B. Vosburgh as a lecturer, should insure him a good audience.

INSANITY is on the increase. Statistics show this. Many cases are brought on by overwork, anxiety, excitement, mental trouble and nervous prostration; it is also inherited. Manifestly sleeplessness and constipation manifest themselves before one becomes insane. Constipation induces dyspepsia, headache, bad breath, pimples, eruptions, hemorrhoids, etc. Dr. Jones' Kidney and Liver Pills relieve constipation, thereby curing these diseases. Price, 50 cents.

The Iron Moulders Social club will give a masquerade ball at the tabernacle on the evening of December 31st, for which the Opera House orchestra will furnish music. This will be the first and probably the only masquerade ball of the season, and will prove a fine affair. Mrs. Pfander, a costumer of Peoria, will be at the New Deming on the day of the dance with a fine line of costumes, which will be rented at prices to suit every one.

You can buy boots and shoes of Freeman Bros., 114 Merchant street, old square, as cheap as anywhere, and why not? We buy direct of manufacturers; we pay cash; our goods are all paid for; we never make a note; we owe no borrowed money and have no interest to pay; we do not sell damaged goods. d&wlv

The Iron Moulders Social club will give their masquerade ball at the tabernacle to-morrow evening, and anticipate a glorious time. The managers of the affair have spared no pains to insure its success, and with a proper patronage will realize their hopes. Music will be furnished for the operatic exercises by the Opera House orchestra.

Justice Harlan, of the supreme court, has filed an order in the United States circuit court here, in the Illinois Midland receivership case. It extends the time for Commissioner Branson to file his report to the 15th of January next, all exceptions to such report to be filed on or before the 25th of that month. All briefs in support of or in opposition to such report are to be filed on or before the 14th of February, at which time the cause shall, without further order of the court, be submitted to Justice Harlan for decision on such exceptions, and for final decree of sale.—Springfield Register.

Deatur Assembly No. 2435, Knights of Labor, has issued a call to the officers and members of all districts and local assemblies of K. of L., and all trades unions, in the state of Illinois, requesting them to send delegates to a Workingmen's Convention, to be held at the hall of Deatur Assembly, in this city, on Thursday, January 15th, 1885, at 10 a. m. The object of the convention, as set forth in the call, is the election of a workingmen's State legislative committee, and the organization of a State Assembly of Knights of Labor, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. A large attendance and an interesting session is expected.

The proprietor of one of our city's best and most popular hosteleries was taking a little stroll yesterday morning, when he was accosted by a couple of strangers who inquired for a good hotel. He very modestly informed them that he engineered an institution of that kind, and with becoming dignity put his hand in his pocket and drew forth what he supposed was his business cards, but proved to be a handsome one hundred dollar bill. An explanation followed which was perfectly satisfactory to the strangers, and they became guests of the bustling and embarrassed host. He is a man of unquestioned veracity and by no means given to excessive indulgence in games, and therefore the possession of the "History of the Four Kings" was easily explained away; but there are people in our city, who might tell the same story which excused him, and it would be regarded as very "thin."

One of the evidences of hard times in this section of the country is the general falling off of holiday business reported by all who handle largely this class of merchandise. Our reporter talked with Mr. O. E. Curtis of the large wholesale and retail jewelry firm of Deatur, and he tells us that their sales are fully \$10,000 behind last year. They have determined in order to convert into money a portion of the goods (furniture on their hands, to sell at auction at their store, commencing Monday, December 29, and continue several days, anything in their store from diamonds down. They do not propose to go out of business, but simply convert that portion of their goods into money, which have always been sold by this time every year. To all who know these gentlemen, it is unnecessary to say that once having decided to make a sale of this kind, they will not permit anything to be misrepresented, any by-bidding or anything else that would injure their future business.

Major Emory was in town yesterday. Glad Gorin left last evening for Chicago.

I. O. Eymann visited Sullivan yesterday on business.

W. B. Newman, of Modesto, Cal., is in the city visiting Capt. and Mrs. Hawes.

Charlie Housum was down town yesterday and dined at the St. Nicholas.

Mr. John Campbell left yesterday afternoon for Denver, Col., on a short business tour.

Miss Ollie Oglesby has returned home from a visit to friends and relatives at Lincoln.

Charles Radcliff is getting himself in time for the arduous duties of tax collector of this township.

Charles Hughes, the prosecuting attorney of that county, was in the city yesterday on business.

Messrs. A. W. Wells and A. W. Gresh, of Niantic, were in the city yesterday for a few hours.

Harry Woodruff and Ed. McCasill, of Taylorville, have been visiting Mr. Jacob Maxwell and family.

Miss Gillett and Miss Bertie Lavigne, of Lincoln, spent yesterday in this city, returning home in the afternoon.

Ed. Leahy, the genial dispenser of liquid refreshments at Campbell & McGinty's place, has been confined to his room for a week past, with illness.

George Lower, traveling land and passenger agent of the Frisco Line, went to St. Louis yesterday afternoon. He will return home this evening.

Prof. E. A. Galtman, and Prof. R. E. Walters, of the Rockford public schools, left yesterday afternoon to attend the annual session of the State Teachers' association. The meetings will be held in representative hall.

Dr. Cole, the dentist, returned home last evening from Joliet, where he was called a few days since by the serious illness of his wife. She was in a critical condition for several days, but when the doctor left she had experienced a change for the better, and was rapidly improving. Mrs. Cole's many friends will be gratified to learn of her improvement and soon hope to hear of her complete recovery.

THE SAINT OF COLD WATER.

State Conference of Prohibitionists.—Yesterday's Meeting Well Attended.

The State Conference of Prohibitionists is now in session in this city, with a good attendance of delegates and prominent men of that party. The meetings are held in the tabernacle, and yesterday's session commenced shortly after dinner. Among those present were: John P. St. John, late candidate for president, D. H. Harris, of Lincoln, Judge Pepper, of Alton, H. B. Kopley, of Elmhurst, George O. Christian, of Chicago, Rev. Brown, of Rockford, E. W. Dunkel, of Mason, Lafe Irving, of Mason City, George W. Miner, of Piquette, Prof. Wilson, of St. Louis, Col. Miller, of Rochester, John Evans, of Clear Creek, and many others.

An organization was effected by electing H. B. Kopley, of Elmhurst, chairman and A. E. Smith, of this city, secretary.

Plans of organization and other business matters were discussed during the afternoon. When Governor St. John entered the hall he was greeted with great enthusiasm.

In the evening a large audience assembled to hear the ex-governor speak. In substance his speech was as follows, and was frequently interrupted with applause:

In speaking of the platform and conduct of the republican party in the late campaign, he said they tried to catch the whisky vote and lost the church and school house vote. He said he had a right to talk of the party he had once belonged to. He spoke of Blaine as having showed the white feather instead of the white plume, when he refused to vote on the prohibition question at his house in Augusta, on the grounds that it was a local and not a national issue. He would still belong to the republican party if it was a prohibition party or would give up the republican party for a prohibition party.

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leave the party, but the republicans endeavored to hold the prohibitionists with promises.

He read an editorial from the Chicago Tribune of a recent date, commending the skill and efficiency of the railway mail agents. It had been acquired by years of study and hard work, but the accuracy and promptness with which mail is now handled and delivered, would soon be done away with by the bungling greenhorns of democrats, who would secure these positions under the new administration. Many of these men, who are married, would retire from the service poor, as their salary was small and they couldn't save anything. The speaker said it was true they had not saved much, but it was because the republican party had bled them for funds to the very last limit. Some of these men, however, will probably retain their positions, for the men who were howling republicans a few weeks ago, are now becoming very conservative.

"The Tribune," said the speaker, "says this is all the result of St. John and the magnum. When I left the republican party, it said it was only the loss of my vote. Now it says we have turned the country over into the hands of the free whisky party. Could whisky be any freer than it has during the past twenty-four years? If it can, I pity the people of this country."

It makes no difference which party you're for the traffic. Bloomington elected a republican Methodist minister, in hopes that it would have a good moral influence on the business. Under this rule, if a man got drunk, he was expected to kneel to prayer, but under the democratic rule, he would go home and beat his wife. The people of that city, however, say that it is just as bad as under democratic rule. Here in Deatur it makes no difference what party controls the liquor traffic. The heart broken wife, as she sobs to the floor under the blows of a drunken husband, suffers just as much.

The speaker said he wished to call attention to the fact that in this country there was more prohibition territory under democratic than republican rule. In the bourbon state of Missouri, there are forty-five of a hundred and ten counties, that are prohibition. Thirty-eight of these forty-five are controlled by democrats. Clay county, the home of the James brothers, has not had a saloon for nine years. Ninety-eight of the one hundred and thirty-four counties in democratic Georgia are prohibition. In the democratic state of Tennessee, the law prohibits a saloon being established within two miles of a church. In the republican state of Massachusetts, the law fixes the distance at two hundred feet. Yet they say the democrats are going down hill.

It was the will of the people to place democracy in power. Had republicans have deserved a victory, the people would have given it to them. Both parties vied with each other to catch the whisky vote, and yet republicans say one reason of their defeat is that St. John concentrated himself in New York. The governor said when nominated he was under contract to deliver a certain number of lectures in the Empire State. Fulfilling these contracts by September first, he then delivered speeches as follows: Three in Wisconsin, 7 in Illinois, 2 in Missouri, 3 in Indiana, 5 in Ohio, 7 in Michigan, 2 in Maryland, 1 in Pennsylvania, 1 in New Jersey, 2 in Connecticut, 1 in Massachusetts and 8 in New York. The speeches were made under the direction of the National Prohibition Committee. "During the campaign," said the speaker, "a republican friend asked me why I didn't talk in the south and I told him Mr. Daniels was talking there. I asked him why Mr. Blaine didn't talk in the south, and he replied that he did not dare go down there. I will say he would have been as safe down there as in any northern state, and I am not one of those persons who believe he could not have got a fair trial in Indiana."

In defense of himself the speaker declared a few remarks to the charges of having been paid by democrats. During the entire campaign he emphatically declared that he never saw Mr. Cleveland or Mr. Hendricks, and had never had direct or indirect communication with the Democratic National committee. The same was said of republicans, except John A. Logan, whom the speaker said he saw in Springfield, Ohio, making a speech and telling the people of their prosperity, when the factories of the town were closed and had been closed for months. His expenses amounting to \$500 were paid by the Prohibition National committee and he came out of the campaign as poor as he entered. He said he defied any one to produce evidence not consistent with his assertions. If there was ever any doubt of the sincerity of prohibitionists, they have been vindicated since the election by the abuse of republicans. A party that burns its opponents in effigy and drives ministers from the pulpit ought to be beaten. It was not beaten by the people, but simply committed suicide.

With a few pleasing anecdotes the speaker closed amid warm applause. After the audience dispersed a business meeting of the Prohibition State committee was held. The conference will continue to-day, and to-night when Governor St. John expects to speak again.

A portion of a traveling company of colored jubilee singers are in the city, and on Wednesday evening will give a concert at the opera house, assisted by some of the best known colored warblers in this city. They serenaded this office last evening, and sang remarkably well. The prices of admission will be 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Sheriff Foster will leave to-day for Joliet, with the following prisoners: Wm. Whitehead, one year for grand larceny; John Gannon, one year for burglary and larceny; Joseph West, one year for larceny; Jack McQuaid, and Jack Fleener, three years for burglary and larceny.

AT REST.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Ida I. Hitchcock.

The announcement yesterday morning of the sudden death of Mrs. Ida I. Hitchcock, was received with profound sorrow and regret by the many residents of Deatur, who had known and loved her for years gone by. Her death occurred at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bering, at about 8 o'clock. She had not been in good health for some time, but has only been dangerously ill during the past few days. Last week she was able to be down town for a few hours, and now her face is forever stilled by the icy hand of death. The deceased was in the 28th year of her age, and was the wife of Dr. Edward Hitchcock, jr., of Cornell University, to whom she was married on December 27, 1882, in this city. Her husband, and little son Eddie, aged eleven months, survive her.

Mrs. Hitchcock has been with her parents in this city since October last and has received their constant care and loving attention. Her illness afflicted the best physicians in this city, who used all their power and skill to prevent the Death Angel claiming her for his victim.

The bereaved parents and husband, sympathy of the entire community in their dark hour of affliction. The funeral will take place to-morrow

